



# Discover Les Gets

## FALC guide



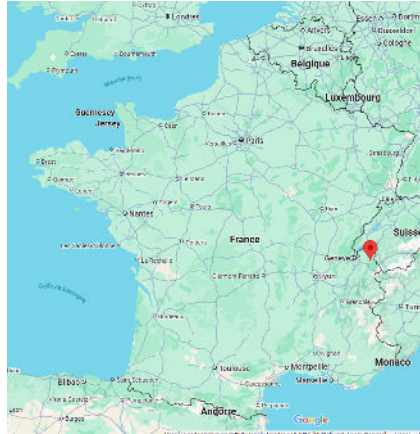
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**Les Gets**  
*Portes du Soleil*

# Introduction to the village

**Les Gets** is situated in the south-east of France, in the department of Haute-Savoie, in the Northern Alps.



**1227 people** live in Les Gets all year round.

They are called **the Gêtois**.

The resort is situated at an **altitude of 1172 metres**.

**In winter**, you can ski in the **Les Gets-Morzine ski area**.

It is part of **the Portes du Soleil ski area**, one of the largest in the world.

**In summer**, it's a popular destination for **mountain bikers**.

Les Gets has organised **a number of world mountain bike events**:

- **The Mountain Bike World Cup Finals** in 2019, 2020 and 2021
- **The World Championships** in 2022.

There are **plenty of other activities** to discover all year round!

# Transports

There are a number of ways to get around the village:

- **“Les Gets Bus” shuttle buses**

2 bus routes run every hour.

They are free of charge.

- **The little train**

**In the mornings, heritage outings** are organised.

Registration at the tourist office or at the ski lift ticket office and presentation of the Multipass are compulsory.

Young people under 16 only need to register.

**In the afternoon, the little train runs free of charge.**

It runs from the centre of the village to the school lake.

- **GetsLib’**

These **electrically-assisted bicycles** are available for hire from May to November.

You can **start from a number of different locations:**

-Maison des Gets (Tourist Office)

-Vieux Village

-Parking du Marais

-Lac des Écoles

-La Fruitière des Perrières

-La Turche

-La route des Chavannes (La Culaz)

-La route du Rocher

You need to **register online to obtain a one-time use code.**

Paid transport is available to visit the surrounding area:

- **The Balad'Aulps Bus**

It runs every day in the Vallée d'Aulps (Morzine, Montriond, etc.).

- **Jacquet Autocars**

The Y92 line takes you to Taninges, Cluses or Morzine all year round.

- **SAT**

The Y91 line serves the villages of Morzine, Montriond, Saint Jean d'Aulps and Thonon-les-Bains all year round.

- **Taxis and transporters**

A list is available from the Tourist Office reception.

- **Electric vehicles**

Charging points are available at various locations:

- Pic car park, 16 rue de Pressenage
- Village centre, in front of the Skilove shop, 18 rue de la forge
- Perrières car park, Route des Pesses

# Les Gets in summer

There are plenty of activities to try out in summer:

- **Mountain biking**

**Les Gets' bikepark is one of the largest in Europe.**

A bikepark is an area where you can ride your bike in several different ways:

- Downhill mountain biking (DH)
- Enduro mountain biking (XC)
- Electrically assisted mountain biking...

**3 lifts** give you access to 128 km of marked mountain bike trails:

- The Express chairlifts at Les Chavannes and Les Nauchets** from 13th June to 14th September
- The Mont-Chéry cable car** from 20th June to 31st August

Les Gets bike area is linked **to the Portes du Soleil bike area.**

In the village you will find :

- specialist shops to hire or repair your bike
- a dozen instructors for accompanied mountain bike outings
- bike washing areas
- free maintenance and repair points at the chairlifts.

## **The UCI Mountain Bike World Cup will take place from 28th to 31st August**

3 events are on the programme:

- The XCC: Cross-country Short Track on Friday 29th August
- The DHI: Downhill Individual on 30th August
- The XCO: Cross-country Olympic on 31st August

- **The race bike**

Les Gets is located on the prestigious **Route des Grandes Alpes**.

**Several legendary passes surround the village:**

- Col de Joux Plane
- Col de la Ramaz
- Col de Joux verte
- Col de l'Encrenaz

All routes: <https://www.lesgets.bike/en/road-bike/>

- **Hiking**

**A guide to the hiking trails** is available free of charge from the Tourist Office.

There are **13 hiking trails**:

<https://www.lesgets.com/en/what-to-do/summer-activities/sports/hiking/list-of-summer-marked-footpaths/>

3 ski lifts are accessible to pedestrians:

- **Mont Chéry cable car and pointe chairlift** on the Mont Chéry side
- **Chavannes Express chairlift** on the Chavannes side

If you prefer to be accompanied, contact a mountain guide:

<https://www.lesgets.com/en/what-to-do/summer-activities/sports/hiking/mid-mountain-guides/>

- **The golf course**

The 18-hole golf course allows you to enjoy 18 exceptional panoramic views overlooking Mont Blanc.

On site:

- a golf school
- a pro shop to buy golf equipment
- a restaurant

- **Ecoles' swimming lake**

This leisure area is equipped with:

- A large beach and supervised swimming area,
- a barbecue
- a wibit park (inflatable water games),
- multi-sports and beach volleyball pitches,
- pump-track

-table tennis...

It is **open from Saturday 28 June to Sunday 31 August** from 12pm to 6.30pm.

- **The trail**

The circuits are accessible by the Mont Chéry cable car:

**-2 signposted trail walks**

**-1 introductory loop** for all the family

All routes start and finish at the **Mont Chéry arrival station**.

Other routes are available in the Portes du Soleil.

- **White water sports**

-Rafting

-Tubing

-Hydrospeed...

- **Paragliding**

- **Protected geological site of the peat bogs**, labelled Geopark Chablais UNESCO

- **Père Delavay Botanical Garden**

Both are located near the Lac des Ecoles.

And also:

- **Cani-balade**
- **Tennis**
- **Electric motorbikes**
- **Trampoline**
- **Cinema**
- **Bowling**
- **Médiathèque...**

# 4-season activities

- **4-season sled on rails**

It is **accessible to children aged 3 and over**, accompanied by an adult.

Children under 8 and under 1m35 in height must be accompanied by an adult over 16.

The start is at **Les Perrières**, near the chairlift departure point.

- **Alta Lumina**

Alta Lumina is a nocturnal journey of sound and light.

**Tickets can only be purchased online** at <https://www.altalumina.com/en/>

**A free shuttle bus runs from the Perrières and Market car parks** to Alta Lumina 30 minutes before each show.

- **The Mechanical Music Museum**

You'll discover a collection of **900 mechanical instruments**.

The guided tour will allow you to listen to some of them and see them in action.

- **Wellness activities**

**-2 fitness centres:** Fitlife and Sport'N Chéry

**-Spas:** Les Sources du Chéry, Sérénité Cimes and Spa Kinabalu

**-Yoga classes**

# Gastronomy

- **Restaurants**

There are numerous restaurants **in the centre of the village and at higher altitudes.**

You can sample the local specialities:

-Savoyard fondue

-tartiflette

raclette...

but also :

-blueberry tarts

-Savoy cake...

- **The Perrières fruit dairy**

At the dairy, you'll find:

**-a traditional cheese dairy**

**-a shop**

**-a restaurant** serving cheese specialities

# Crafts

**The pottery in Les Gets** offers visits and creative workshops throughout the summer. Please contact the pottery directly to register.

# Entertainment and events

See the **events programm** on the website:

<https://www.lesgets.com/en/agenda/>

Here are the **highlights** for summer 2025:

**Pre-opening of the bike park** on weekends from: 29th May

**Opening of the bike park:** 06th June

**Alambike:** 21st and 22th June

**Pass' Portes et salon VTT:** 27th, 28th and 29th June

**DH Kids Cup:** 5-6th July

**Testing Rossignol:** 9th July

**Fête Nationale:** 14th July

**Le Musée en Fête:** 19th and 20th July

**Trail des Gets by Rossignol:** 19th and 20th July

**Semaine du vélo :** 21st -27th July

**Fête de la Poterie:** 26-27th July

**Trial 4x4:** 26-27th July

**Festival des 4 Eléments:** 28th July-1st August

**Fête du Vieux village:** 4th August

**La Rioule O' Perrières:** 11th August

**Rallye Gourmand:** 15th August

**Braderie d'été:** 15, 16 and 17th August

**Festival Tête de billes:** 16th August

**Mountain Bike UCI World Cup:** 28th-31st August

**Lutte des Reines:** 14th September

**Les Cognées:** 20-21th September

# For further information

**The tourist office is open every day** from 8.30am to 12.30pm and from 1.30pm to 6.30pm.

We welcome you at **89 route du Front de neige in Les Gets**

You can reach us :

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